

FLOOD IS FREAKISH

Monongahela River Starts Falling After Reaching 34 Feet

IS STILL OVER LOCK

That the Monongahela river can be just as freakish on occasions as the weather was amply demonstrated Thursday. After rising to a stage of 34.2 feet at 8 o'clock in the evening, it suddenly stopped, and in a short time was falling. Today the river is dropping rapidly, although it is still over the lock at Lock No. 4. The rise resulted in considerable damage along the Monongahela valley.

Thursday morning the river advanced to the danger stage and suddenly came to a halt. Then as quickly another rise began that continued until late in the afternoon at the rate of eight inches per hour. At a stage of about 34 feet there was another sudden change and another halt, that was for good.

It was feared from reports that were received up to Thursday noon, that the flood would be one of the worst the Monongahela valley ever suffered. Possibly it might be considered such, but still it didn't nearly come up to a flood of two years ago. Water got into the houses of those living in the lowlands along the valley. The business section of Brownsville was engulfed.

The worst damage in Charleroi was to gardens along Third street between the Hussy-Binns Shovel plant and the river. Acres of fine gardens there in which produce was just beginning to ripen were inundated. Practically every bit of garden was ruined. Reports from mines along the valley indicate that their greatest damage was in having their mines flooded, forcing them to suspend for a number of days.

GIRLS GET DUCKING IN SWOLLEN CREEK

Josephine and Jessie Duvall two young women of East Pike Run got a ducking at Coal Center Thursday as a result of the flood of Pike Run which empties there into the Monongahela river. At a bridge it was necessary for their horse to wade through deep water. It became frightened and reared back, lighting on the front of the buggy. Both the girls jumped into the swollen stream. They waded out. Neither was hurt, and no damage resulted the horse being pulled from the stream.

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Will Speak at Eldora

William D. Haywood, of Colorado to Talk Sunday of Labor Troubles

William D. Haywood, of Colorado one of the most noted characters in the labor world today, has been engaged to speak at Eldora Park Sunday afternoon as one of the lectures on the regular Socialist program. He will speak of "The Victory of the Lawrence Strikers." Haywood made a big fight in the interests of the Lawrence strikers, and knows conditions there as probably no other man knows them. A writer says of him: "Risen from the mines himself he gives the impression of belonging to that type of man not unfamiliar now in America, equipped with a good brain, who has come up struggling and fighting, giving blows and taking them; who, knowing deeply the wrongs of his own class, develops a natural leadership of those who are downtrodden and discontented."

OUT FOR WILSON

Democrats Determined to Give Governor County Majority

HEADQUARTERS OPENED

The Democrats of Washington county are preparing to make a strong campaign in the interest of Woodrow Wilson, their candidate for President. J. Winfield Reed, county chairman, has announced his executive committee and secretaries for the campaign.

The executive committee is composed of R. W. Knox, of Washington, as chairman; Dr. J. K. Smith, Charleroi; W. S. Shepler, Monongahela; Leroy Alexander, West Alexander; John P. Linn, Burgettstown; A. B. Cochran, McDonald; Samuel Munnell, Sr., Canonsburg; E. C. Horn, Amwell township; A. P. Barnum, Allentown; D. C. Vester, A. G. Braden, J. A. Bubbett, John W. Day, of Washington.

The secretaries are W. F. Smith and John C. Judson, of Washington. Headquarters have been opened in the Thistle building, Washington and will be open constantly and will be in charge of John Foster.

A meeting of the executive committee is being held today in headquarters to make arrangements for the campaign in the county. The Democrats feel very much encouraged over the prospects of having a Democrat in the White House the coming four years and everything possible will be done to carry this county for their man. The headquarters will be open all the time.

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COMMISSIONERS TO PUT COUNTY'S ELECTRICAL PLANT INTO OPERATION

Contract in Effect With Outside Firm to Expire on August 1--Scheme Will be Tried as a Money-Saving Device

PLANT COST \$70,000 TO INSTALL FEW YEARS AGO

While trying to increase the county's income on the one hand by equalizing the assessed valuations, the county commissioners and county controller are on the other hand trying to save money by operating affairs in the most economical manner possible to secure the greatest efficiency. In accord with this idea they are considering putting into operation a plant owned by the county for the lighting, heating and ventilating, of the county buildings, including the court house, jail and sheriff's residence.

Six years ago Commissioners Wylie, Myers and Huffman made a contract with the Washington Electric Light and Power company for the lighting, heating and ventilating of the county buildings. This contract expires next Thursday, August 1. Since the contract became effective all the county buildings have been furnished with light, heat and ventilation by outside companies.

A plant that is declared by William O'Brien, a boiler maker, to be in good shape is owned by the county. Mr. O'Brien states that but few repairs will have to be made before the plant can be put in operation. It has been standing idle since the contract was

COUNTY COURT IS REVERSED

Superior Court Decision Gives Mrs. Hilt Victory in Local Case

Official notice has been received from the superior court by David M. McCloskey, attorney for the late Mrs. Catharine Hilt that the judgement of the lower court of Washington county in the suit of her former husband Conrad Hilt has been reversed instead of affirmed.

It was erroneously stated in many papers that the judgement of the lower court awarding the husband a ver- of \$500 had been affirmed, whereas in an unanimous opinion handed down by President Judge Rice the verdict of \$500 is set aside and judgement is entered for Mrs. Hilt.

The later was until her death recently a well known resident of Charleroi and conducted a grocery store at the corner of Ninth Street and Fallowfield Avenue. After she procured a divorce numerous suits were filed and tried by the husband in an effort to obtain a part of the real and personal property which was owned by the two as tenants by entireties. Mrs. Hilt was successful in all of the suits until finally the \$500 judgement was entered for Mr. Hilt. This has also been decided in Mrs. Hilt's favor and although she died pending the appeal her estate will benefit to the extent of the judgement and costs.

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Will Play Baseball

A team calling themselves the Charleroi High Steppers have scheduled a baseball game to be played here at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon with the Monessen Tin Mill Rufflers. The Charleroi team will consist of Culler, Demarco, Donahue, Davis, Sahner, Adams, Coven Allshouse and Strausser.

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Five Miners are Missing

Three Unaccounted for at Smock and Two at the Linn Workings.

Five miners are unaccounted for in the Redstone Valley, which was swept by a cloudburst Wednesday and they are believed to have perished in the water-filled mines. At the Smock mine of the H. C. Frick Coke company at Smock three miners failed to call for their checks at the mine office and fellow workmen declare they are in the mine, which was flooded.

At the Linn mine of the same company at Linn station, two miners are missing. They have not appeared at their homes and a poll of the mine employees shows two names missing.

PROBE IS STARTED

State to Investigate Disaster at Superior No. 2 Mine

COMPANY IS CRITICIZED

With Charles E. Rider a representative of the Pennsylvania Water Supply commission on the scene investigations are being started by the State into the causes of the flooding of the Superior No. 2 mine at Evans station near Uniontown, in which 14 men lost their lives. Charges have been made that the mine owners did not have the mine properly equipped with safety devices, by which the men might have been warned of their danger before it was too late. It is announced that the State will make a thorough investigation.

The Superior Coal company has been severely criticised by friends of the drowned miners for not having telephones installed in the mine. Thirteen of the dead had no warning of their impending fate until the waters began rushing in on them through their manway, their only avenue of escape.

Together with the State the Austrian-Hungary authorities will make an investigation. Louis Vacek, imperial and royal Austro-Hungarian consular agent stationed at Uniontown, following advices from Washington, D. C., interviewed widows of the entombed men and mine operators Thursday night to ascertain how the accident came about.

Thirty children have been made fatherless and destitute by the catastrophe. For the present they will be housed at the company houses of the coal company. According to J. W. Buttmore superintendent of the mine it will be at least a month before the mine can be pumped out sufficiently for the bodies to be recovered or for operations to be started again.

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TRAGEDY AVERTED

Woman Tries to Shoot Boarder Then Attempts Suicide

TELLS TALE TO POLICE

A near double tragedy in which Mrs. Lenie Flezak, the wife of Mike Flezak and George Sucre a boarder at the Flezak home, played the leading roles, was staged at California Thursday. It is charged that the woman tried to shoot Sucre, because he paid her attentions and then refused to run away with her. Falling in that, she is supposed to have tried to drown herself. Sucre, the woman and her husband are all in the lockup at California, while friends are trying to straighten out the domestic tangle.

It is stated that Sucre came to board at the Flezak home several months ago and the woman being good looking and young, began to pay her attentions, when the husband was not at home. Finally, so the police are told, they agreed to elope. She secured \$435 from the bank and gave it to Sucre. He accepted the money but when the time came to leave backed out. The woman is said to have procured a revolver and told him to flee. He obeyed with alacrity and leaped from the upstairs window. From the door she saw him going and fired three shots none of which took effect.

Then the woman it is understood hastened to the river, and waded in, all the time crying something about her troubles. Chief of Police Lake got to her before she had gone far in the water and dragged her out. She was taken to the police station where the tale was unfolded. The husband and Sucre, as scared as ever man was, were placed under arrest. The woman has come to the point where she is willing to apologize, but the husband only shrugs his shoulders. The principals are all Polish.

Unusual Pitching

The performance of Keifer, the Episcopal twirler in pitching a no hit, no run game Thursday night is remarkable. Only once before it is stated had it been done here, that by Bert Humphries against Fairmont, in the Pa. W. Va. league. Of course Keifer's feat against the Christians was for seven innings only, and against weaker batters than one would find in a minor league, yet it is all the same remarkable. Twenty-four batsmen faced him in nine innings.

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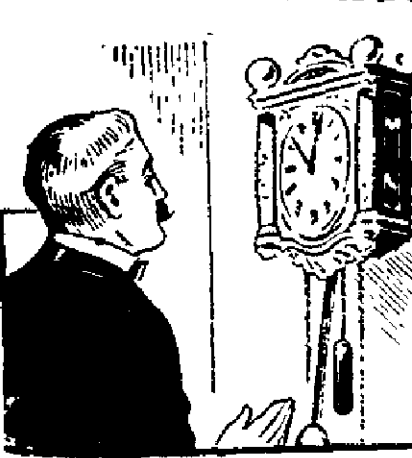
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July 26 in American History.

1733—George Clinton, "signer" for New
York, born; died 1812.
1833—General George W. Morgan, Mex-
ican and civil war veteran, died;
born 1820.
1900—William Reed Huntington, promi-
nent clergyman and famous de-
nominational debater, died; born
1838.
1911—President Taft signed the Cana-
dian reciprocity bill.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:21, rises 4:50. Evening
stars: Mars, Jupiter, Mercury, Venus.
Morning star: Saturn.

WHY LIVING IS HIGH.

The census bureau is on hand to
support the sorrows of the poor hus-
band in respect to the cost of woman's
hats. It is mounting up into the
three figure per cent. increases. In
1903 there were 213 establishments
furnishing the trade with plumes; in
1909, six years after, these establish-
ments increased to 412. The value of
this millinery product is given at
\$5,247,900 in 1903 and \$23,981,000 in
1909, or an increase of 357 per cent.,
says the Ohio State Journal.

That far exceeds our increase in
population, wealth, salary or per-
sonal efficiency. It represents a
solid, wearisome, crushing weight on
the shoulders of that unfortunate
class of people who happen to be
born men, and for whom there doesn't
seem to be any sympathy anywhere
in the wide, wide world. And yet,
strange to say, we do not notice that
the men are raging about it. They
are bearing it under the torture;
they are heroic and uncomplaining.
We suggest at the next woman's ban-
quet the toast, The Men—God Bless
'Em.

THE MAKING OF BOOKS.

If of the making of many books, in
the sense of printing them, there is
no end, still less is there an end of
writing would-be books. Accepted
manuscripts amount to the tens of
thousands, but the number of the re-
jected is myriad. This fact is gener-
ally known, but attempts to reduce
the knowledge to a statistical basis
have been few, says the New York
Evening Post.

At the recent dinner of the Authors
society in England the editor of the
Cornhill stated that of all the manu-
scripts offered to Smith, Elder and
Co., "less than two per cent." were
accepted and published. This ratio is
probably too low for the trade as a

whole. Publishers of the standing of
the firm mentioned must have more
manuscripts sent them than do
houses not of so established a repu-
tation, and, more than this would
naturally be more fastidious than
some others about what they print.
Both these considerations would tend
to keep low their proportion of ac-
cepted offerings. But even supposing
the average ratio to be 10 or even 15
per cent, one sees how great a mass of
writing never comes to the types, and
gets a hint of the extent of baffled
hopes and even tragic disappointment
in the case of authors powerless to
be born.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Those Georgians do not need to
lynch women simply to prove that
they believe in equal rights.

It isn't hard to credit the state-
ment of certain scientists that every-
body has an insane streak when we
look at some of those we know well.
The problem is how in the world did
they ever come to put us in that clas-
sification.

Because people buy pianos in
greater numbers nowadays than they
did years ago isn't any sign that they
are becoming more musical. It is a
sign they aren't going to let fashion
get ahead of them.

Four wagon loads of bottles—"dead
soldiers"—were hauled from the
Baltimore Armory. At last a reason
for the delay of delegates in doing
anything worth while or in return-
ing home has been given.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

W. D. Pollock was much impressed
by the scenic beauty of the Guyan
valley of West Virginia during a
recent trip there to visit Andrew
Jenkins, formerly of Charleroi who
now is a resident of that valley. Mr.
Pollock in describing his trip says:
"Very few of the residents of Char-
leroi have any knowledge of that
beautiful valley which they call the
Guyan valley. It extends from Hunt-
ington to Cranew and is bordered on
both sides by high mountains which
run up in places almost perpendicu-
lar. These mountains are rich in
coal and form good timber lands.

"The wild grandeur of the region
is inspiring. Some few of the farm-
ers along the valley have culti-
vated the mountain sides. Corn
fields extend nearly to the top in
some places. One wonders how they
can plow the soil on the steep slopes.

"The Guyandott river runs the en-
tire length of the valley. Down it
are flated millions of logs. When
they reach the Ohio river into which
the Guyandott flows, they are made
into rafts and shipped to Cincinnati
and other points. Fishing is good.
There are lots of bass, perch, catfish,
sunfish and turtles, making the valley
one of the most pleasant places I
know of to spend a vacation. The
hills abound in small game. Rabbits,
squirrels, pheasants, and coons are
especially numerous.

"The Chesapeake and Ohio rail-
road runs from Huntington to Ear-
ling. The principal freight is coal and
logs.

"I spent a week at Arling, Logan
county, which place is situated about
eight miles up the Guyan valley from
Huntington. There the coal mine
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Charleroi, is superintendent, is oper-
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works.

"Mr. Jenkins and his good wife
entertained me royally. The latter
is a cook whose ability cannot be
surpassed and with that bracing
mountain atmosphere to stir the hun-
ger, I came away feeling a hundred
per cent better than when I went.
I had the pleasure of fishing in the
Guyandott river. I know the fish
were all right for I ate some myself.
"I haven't any doubt but that in
a few years when the treasures of
the West Virginia hills have been
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TOO REMARKABLE TO FALL

Ruined Old Barn Set Mose an Exam-
ple and He Proceeded to
Get Well.

In their first walk of the season
at Wobrook-in-the-Hills the judge and
his wife stopped at the Bartons' to
inquire for Mose, who was reported
to have been "mo-e'n common ill'n",
"long back." They found Mrs. Barton
in the garden, weeding.

"Yes, he was awful bad all last
winter," she said, gradually rising,
and straightening up. "First he had
grippe, an' that left his heart weak,
an' long toward March his liver kind
o' got out o' whack. Then Mose sent
for doctor, an' he called it 'complica-
tion o' diseases'."

"You're a sick man," says doctor.
"I know that," says Mose, "thout
you're tellin' me!" You know his
way? "But this complication, 's you
call it, is what stumps me. I guess
I'd better get well—an' he did!"

"Suthin' in that, eh, squire?" said
Mose, suddenly appearing from be-
hind the house.

"Much!" asserted the judge.
"Didn't find my argument in a
book, same as you would, squire,"
Mose continued. "Got it up on the
hills, from the old Collins' barn—
'member it?"

"I should say I did!" said the
judge, smiling reminiscently; "roof-
less, practically and open on all
sides!"

"But kep' a-standin' for nigh thirty
year 'cause it was so ramshackle it
didn't know which way to fall. My
case exactly!" declared Mose Mar-
tan with a twinkle.

The Country Cottage.

The country cottage is the hope of
the young and the solace of the old;
it is the middle-aged, with their ex-
aggerated ideas of comfort, their un-
reasonable desire for dry walls, bril-
liant lighting, hot and cold water, and
the telephone, who complicate the
question of the Saturday rush to the
green fields.—Sketch.

Smallest Island.

The island on which the Eddystone
lighthouse is situated is the smallest
inhabited island in the world, it is
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at low water.

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Westminster Electric Laboratories.

College Girl a Minister.

Miss Marion Hastings Jones, a grad-
uate of the class of 1897 in Smith col-
lege, has been ordained pastor of the
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Sweet oranges, doz.....20c
Fancy dry onions, 1-4 peck.....9c
Fresh string beans, 1-4 peck.....8c
Fancy ripe tomatoes, basket.....9c

Evaporated Fruits

Splendid prunes, 3 lb.....25c
Fancy muskateel raisins, 3 lb.....25c
Fancy seeded raisins, 1 lb pkg.....10c
Evaporated apricots, lb.....16c

Fruit Jars

Mason fruit jars, qts., dozen.....50c
Mason fruit jars, pints, dozen.....45c
10c heavy jar gums, 2 dozen.....15c
Porcelain lined jar lids, dozen.....15c

Kitchen Specials

We save you 25 per cent.

2-lb fancy japan rice.....15c
1 qt. jar full of Wilbur Cocoa.....25c
5 lb yellow peas.....25c
4 1-2 lb red kidney beans.....25c
Royal peanut butter, lb.....15c
Qt. jar queen olives.....25c
3 cans best molasses.....25c
3 bottles elegant catsup.....25c
1-2 lb best cocoanut.....10c
Qt. jar Lutz & Schramm
prepared mustard.....15c
Magic yeast, pkg.....4c
10c pkg. noodles, 2 for.....15c
10c pkg. macaroni, 2 for.....15c
10c pkg. vermicelli, 2 for.....15c
10 lb pail fresh makerels.....\$1.25

7 cakes silver gloss soap.....25c
5c box clothes pins, 4 for.....15c
10c roll toilet paper, 4 for.....15c
5c box bag blue, 3 for.....10c
3 cakes best scouring soap.....10c
3 pkgs. cold starch.....25c
2 in one shoe polish, 2 boxes.....15c
Shinola, 2 boxes for.....15c
1 quart ammonia.....10c
5c box matches, 3 for.....10c
2 quarts blueing.....15c
4 lb box soapine.....15c
Sticky fly paper, 3 double sheets.....5c
Poison fly paper, 5c envelopes,
2 for.....5c
Pure grape jelly, per glass.....10c
5 lb pail pure jelly.....55c
3 glasses Heinz apple butter.....28c

THE CO-OPERATIVE STORE

620 Fallowfield Avenue, CHARLEROI, PA.
241 Schoonmaker Avenue, MONESSEN, PA.

LAIRD'S JULY CLEARANCE SALE!

A Strong Temptation for Bargain Seekers

\$25.00 and \$30.00 100 piece fine china dinner sets go at... \$19.50
 \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00 sets at 8.00 and 10.00
 About 12 doz. open stock patterns in plates, cups and saucers go at cost.
 \$1.25 and \$1.50 berry sets, creams and sugars, cracker jars, celery trays, salads and cake plates go at... 75c and 98c
 20 per cent off on vases, cut glass, silverware and jewelry.
 25c per doz. large size jelly glasses with tops go at... 19c
 One lot of 25c pictures at... 10c
 Granite, nickel plated and aluminum cooking ware go at a big reduction.
 Special sale on underwear, hose and umbrellas.

All 10c Goods at 8 1-2c

LAIRD'S

519 McKean Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

All men's, young men's, boys and children's clothing reduced at Murdock and McCarty's. 278-12w

Act Well!

And that you may, profit by the health-restoring, strength-giving properties of the time-tested famous family remedy

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold everywhere in boxes 10c., 25c.

Tells Consumptives How He Got Well

Tuberculosis is said to be curable by simply living in the open air and taking an abundance of fresh eggs and milk. Undoubtedly, some persons are benefited in this way; but the appropriate remedy for Consumptives is Eckman's Alternative. Do all you possibly can to add to strength and increase weight, eat wholesome, nourishing food, and breathe the cleanest and purest air—then, to the sensible things of right living, add the tonic and curative effects of Eckman's Alternative. Read what it did in this case:

609 West Street, Wilmington, Del.
 "Gentlemen: In January, 1908, I was taken with hemorrhages of the lungs. My physician, one of the leading practitioners, said that it was lung trouble. I took eggs and milk in quantities, but I got very weak, and I kept on working in the store. The doctors said I would not gain in weight as long as I stayed in the store, but I kept on working and prayed each day that I might get well. I believe my prayers were answered, for Mr. C. A. Lippincott, my employer (Lippincott & Co., Department Store, 306 to 314 Market street, Wilmington, Del.), had learned of a remedy called Eckman's Alternative that had done great good, and upon his recommendation I began taking it at once. This was about June, 1908. I continued faithfully, using no other remedy, and finally noticed the clearing of the lungs, which appeared to be old chunks of blood coming up. I now have no trouble with my lungs. I firmly believe Eckman's Alternative saved my life. I sent my spittle later to the State Board of Health to be examined for tuberculosis bacilli, and none were found.
 "My mother died from Consumption when I was about two years old.
 "I make this statement so that others may learn of the wonderful merits of Eckman's Alternative. I regard my recovery as being miraculous."
 (Signed A. H. H. JAS. SQUIRES.

Eckman's Alternative is effective in Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Throat and Lung Troubles, and in upbuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. Ask for booklet of cured cases and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for more evidence. For sale by all leading druggists and

W. F. Henning's, Charleroi, Pa.

Boy Shot Big Eagle.
 Ten-year-old Otto Frame, a farmer's boy living seven miles from Michigan City, killed a big baldhead eagle and saved his baby brother from serious injury if not from death last week.

The children were playing alone in the yard, the older members of the family having gone to town when they saw the big bird circling above them. The boy ran into the house and took down his father's shotgun. As he ran back to the yard the eagle swooped down upon the baby. Otto raised the gun and fired both barrels. The big bird fell dead just through the breast within a few feet of the little boy. Soon after Otto's father, Chauncey B. Frame, returned. They stretched out the dead eagle. It measured eight feet from wing tip to wing tip.—Chicago Tribune.

Metaphor Resented.
 "Did I understand you to say, sir," said Col. Stilwell, "that you regarded that orator's remarks as moonshine?"
 "That's what I said," replied the critical person.

"Well, sir, I do not wish to seem captious, but when it comes to comparing that line of talk with a mountain product for whose vigorous qualities I have a large degree of respect, I must say that your efforts to be complimentary, sir, go entirely too far."—Washington Star.

REVENGE IS SWEET.



The Duck—Poor old man! Get a gold brick.

The Hen—No; I ain't sorry for him. Just think of all the china nest eggs he's handed us.

LADIES

This is the last time we will advertise our Ladies Long Coats and Spring and Summer Suits. We know they will not ast long at the prices mentioned here below.

Ladies' Suits were \$22.00 now... \$16.00
 Ladies' Suits were \$18.00 now... \$13.50
 Ladies' Suits were \$16.00 now... \$12.50
 Ladies' Coats and Suits formerly \$13 now for... \$ 9.50
 Ladies' Coats and Suits were \$12.00 now for... \$ 9.00
 Ladies' long silk mercerized Coats were \$6 now... \$ 4.50
 Ladies' long silk mercerized Coats were 5.50 now... \$3.98

Come in and see this lot we guarantee you bargains

EUGENE FAU

514-16 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

The Opportunity OF A LIFE TIME For YOU

No living man, woman or boy can begin to conceive the greatness of this opportunity until they come to this great \$1.00 Shoe Sale themselves. It's the biggest sacrifice of high-grade Oxfords and Shoes ever known—it's the greatest of all Sales. Values slaughtered as they never have been before—our loss is tremendous but we can't help ourselves.

\$1.00 SHOE SALE

Men's Oxfords and Shoes, tan or black, button or lace style. Worth from \$2 to \$5, **\$1.00** our sale price

Ladies' Oxfords and Shoes, tan vici kid, dull and patent leather. All styles not all sizes, but plenty to pick from. Worth from \$2.50 to \$4. Our special **\$1.00** price, a pair

Boys' & youths' Shoes and Oxfords, worth 1.75 to 3 00. All leathers and all sizes if you come early. Sale **\$1.00** price, a pair

We Can Fit All Feet

Remember—you are not limited to odds and ends or "special" lots, but thousands of pairs of shoes are generously offered at prices that will compel you to buy here. Visit all other so-called "shoe sales," see their shoes and prices, then be convinced that our prices are the lowest and best values. All our shoes are fully guaranteed. If you have not bought shoes here before, ask your neighbor. Bring this bill with you and come early. Our experience of our other sales taught us that people appreciate our shoe sales, so we will be prepared with plenty of salespeople to wait upon you.

The store will be closed all day Friday, July 26, to mark down prices, and the Sale of All Sales starts SATURDAY, JULY 27th, and lasts until every pair of Summer Shoes are sold.

Do not Forget that Every Shoe in This, the Busiest Store in the Monongahela Valley, will be Included in This Sale. Nothing Reserved, Come. Remember the Place

ADOLPH BEIGEL

502 Fallowfield Avenue,

CHARLEROI, PENNA.

P. S. Adolph has just bought 2800 pairs of Shoes and Oxfords from SMITH & HAWKINS, former shoe dealers, of Monessen, Pa. These shoes will be included in this sale.



Misses' and Children's Shoes and Oxfords, worth \$1.50 to \$3. See them yourself, and then buy them for, **\$1** a pair

This is the Greatest Shoe Sale Ever Heard of

BERRYMAN'S JULY CLEARANCE SALE

This Great Clearance Sale offers you Bargains and Bargains. Come and see the wonderful offerings all over the store. You'll save almost as much as you spend.

CHILDRENS WASH DRESSES AT CUT PRICES.

50c dresses go at.....38c
75c dresses go at.....48c
\$1.00 dresses go at.....75c
\$1.25 dresses go at.....89c
\$1.50 dresses go at.....99c
\$2.00 dresses go at.....\$1.35
\$2.50 dresses go at.....\$1.75

CHILDREN'S LAUNDRED DRESSES.

\$1.00 Laundred dresses go at.....75c
\$1.50 Laundred dresses go at.....\$1.00
\$2.00 Laundred dresses go at.....\$1.50
\$2.50 Laundred dresses go at.....\$1.75
\$3.00 Laundred dresses go at.....\$2.25
\$3.50 Laundred dresses go at.....\$2.50
\$4.00 Laundred dresses go at.....\$3.00
\$5.00 Laundred dresses go at.....\$3.50

WHITE WAISTS.

\$1.00 Lawn Waists go at.....69c
\$1.50 Lawn Waists go at.....99c
\$2.00 Lawn Waists go at.....\$1.25
\$2.50 Lawn Waists go at.....\$1.50
\$5.00 Lawn Waists go at.....\$3.50
A few silk waists go at Half Price
One lot Lawn Kimonas.....25c
One lot Lawn 50c Kimonas.....38c
One lot Long Kimonas.....48c
One lot Long Kimonas.....79c
One lot Long Kimonas.....\$1.50 at 98c
One lot Long Kimonas.....\$2 at \$1.25

SEWING MACHINES—A few shop worn machines. Some are new but sold at a great sacrifice. If you need a machine see these.

It will pay you to look into the savings in our Men's and our Carpet Departments.

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON
CHARLEROI'S BIG STORE

—every low shoe in our stock has been sharply reduced in price to effect a quick clearance.

—you can save money easily by taking advantage of these prices.

\$1.39
Odd lot of Men's Net-
telton and Walk-Over
Oxfords in patent, tan
and gun metal leathers.
Regular \$4 to \$6 goods
for only
\$1.39

\$1.39
Odd sizes and widths
of Queen Quality and
P'ngree made Oxfords
and Pumps, good styles
in regular \$3.50 and \$4
grades. Now selling at
\$1.39

LOW SHOES

Oxfords, Slippers, Ties, Pumps

At Big Price Reductions

89c
All sizes men's Canvas
Shoes and Oxfords. Col-
ors tan, black and grey.
Regular \$1.75 grade for
89c

\$1.69
Boys' tan or black Ox-
fords in regular \$2.75
grades. Some 3-eyelet,
some 5-eyelet. New high
toes.
\$1.69

Your Size May Go First, Don't Wait

Claybaugh & Milliken
REAL SHOE MEN
419 McKean Ave., - Charleroi, Penna.

KEIFER MAKES HISTORY WITH A NO-HIT GAME

Episcopal Pitcher Pitches
Record Game Against
the Christian Team

Katsy Keifer, pitching for the Epis-
cops against the Christians made
history Thursday by pitching a no-hit
no-run game. The feat is one that
has thus far been performed by few
in Charleroi. One of the few who
did do it is Bert Humphries, now with
the Cincinnati Nationals in minor
league times. Keifer fanned five and
gave only one man a base on balls,
that man being caught shortly after
at second in a double play.

After that introduction it is need-
less to state the Episcopal won.
The score was 5 to 0. The Epis-
cops secured eight hits off Lauder-
back, and made them count. Score:

Episcops	R	H	P	A	E
Mathers, 2	1	2	4	0	
Kuhn, s	0	0	1	3	0
Montgomery, L	1	1	0	0	
W. Cratty, c	1	5	1	0	
Dunmire, 1	0	11	0	0	
Keifer, p	0	2	1	3	0
Pitzgerald, r	0	0	0	0	
Stech, m	0	1	0	0	
Cratty, 3	1	0	2	1	
Totals	5	8	21	13	1

Christians	R	H	P	A	E
Allshouse, r	0	0	0	0	
Vernon, m	0	0	4	0	0
Phillips, 1	0	0	11	0	0
Mason, c	0	3	1	1	
Jolliffe, s	0	0	4	0	
Miller, 1	0	0	1	0	0
R. Allshouse, 3	0	0	1	2	0
A. Mason, p	0	0	0	2	1
Lauderback, p	0	0	1	2	1
Total	0	0	21	11	3

Episcops.....0 0 0 2 0 3—5
Christians.....0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Stolen bases—Kuhn, Montgomery.
Two base hits—Mathers 2, W. Cratty,
A. Cratty. Double plays—Lauder-
back and Phillips, Kuhn, Mathers and
Dunmire. Struck out—by Keifer 5,
by Lauderback 3. Bases on balls—
off Keifer 1, off Lauderback 2. Um-
pire—Deitz.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Episcops 5—Christians 0.
Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
First Pres	7	2	777
Catholics	6	2	750
W. A. Pres	4	2	667
Methodists	4	5	444
Baptists	4	5	444
Episcops	3	4	425
Lutherans	3	6	333
Christians	3	7	300

Games This Week.
Thursday—Episcops vs. Chris-
tians.
Friday—Catholics vs. Washington
Avenues.

COUNTY OFFICIALS.

County Judges—J. Add McIlvaine,
President judge, (term expires Janu-
ary, 1917); J. Frank Taylor, Ad.
Law Judge, (term expires January,
1916.)
Prothonotary—A. V. Lewis, Donora,
1916.
Clerk of Courts—W. S. Lockhart,
McDonald, 1916.
Register of Wills—Boyd C. Par-
shall, Washington, 1916.
Recorder—J. Chester Sutherland,
Washington, 1914.
Commissioner—John A. Berry.
County Controller—John H. Moffitt
Charleroi, 1914.
Sheriff—R. G. Lutten, Washington,
1916.
District Attorney—Richard G. Mil-
ler, Washington, 1916.
Treasurer—S. M. Downer, Monon-
gahela, 1916.
Houston, 1916; Thomas Hill, Union
township, 1916; A. P. Barnum, Allen
port, 1916.
Supt of Schools—L. R. Crumrine,
Washington, 1914.
Coroner—James Heffran, Speers,
1916.
Director of the Poor—H. D. Brown-
eller, West Brownsville, 1916; R. W.
Wolfe, Blaine, 1916; R. C. Buchanan,
Washington, 1914.
Jury Commissioner—John W.
Dague, West Bethlehem; William
Barkley, Nottingham.
County Surveyor—George S. Cha-
ney, Washington, 1906.
County Detective—William Mc-
Clary, Monongahela, 1916.
Assembly—John Banks Holland,
Cecil, 1912; William Feeney, Charle-
roi, 1912; Charles A. Bentley, Mon-
ongahela, 1912.

CAT WARNS OF FLAMES

Feline Saves Five Lives
by Promptly Awaken-
ing Inmates of House

A mother cat is credited with hav-
ing saved five lives from the flames
at California this morning. The cat
was owned by the family of John
Polly who lives on the Malden road
a half mile from California. It
smelled the smoke arising from burn-
ing embers in one of the down stairs
rooms of the Polly home and start-
ed carrying its litter of kittens to
safety. Springing on a bed, a kitten
held in its mouth, the cat walked
across Polly until he was awakened.
Immediately he recognized the danger
and woke his wife, their two children
and a boarder. They had to leap from
the upstairs window in their night-
clothes, escaping just in time.

The house was burned to the ground
with all the contents. The mother
cat and the kittens were saved.

IS VICTIM OF ASSAULT

Foreigners Attack Young
Man When Ordered
From Farm

With seventeen stitches holding
together the edges of a jagged scalp
wound, and his head swathed in
bandages, Warren Kinder, the son of
I. V. Kinder the well known florist,
is today suffering from the effects
of an assault made upon him Thurs-
day by three burly Italians whom he
had ordered from his father's farm.
Had it not been for the timely inter-
ference of William Shannon, resal's
might have been more serious.

Foreigners have annoyed the Kin-
ders on different occasions and have
been told to stay off the farm. On
Thursday three were ordered off by
Warren, when they lit into him.
Using their fists and then stones they
beat him unmercifully. His calls
for help were heard by Shannon, who
is a neighbor. He chased the foreig-
ners away. The injured young man
was assisted home and Dr. Edwin
McKay was called. He was badly
injured about the head.
Warrants have been sworn out
for three Italians. The victim of the
assault is a well known young voca-
list, and is director of the choir of
the First Christian church.

The only thing that seems to cost
more than following somebody else's
advice is following your own judg-
ment.—New York Press.

Holeproof hose all colors guaranteed
six pairs to wear for six months, \$1.50
at Murdock and McCarty's. 278-42w

Are your chickens pestered by
lice? Conkey's Lice Preparations
are guaranteed to give positive re-
sults. Buy them at Henning's Drug
Store, 5th street and McKean ave-
nue. 23-26

Classified Ads.

WANTED—Active young man to
learn telephone work. Must have had
at least two years High School train-
ing and possess a fair knowledge of
Physics and have mechanical and elec-
trical inclination. Wages paid while
learning. Schooling free. Call or
address Plant Chief, Bell Telephone
Co., Charleroi, Pa. 30341p

WANTED—Position by two young
women. No washing or ironing. Call
Frank Riva's store. 30322p

WANTED—Girl for general house-
work. Apply at Southern Furniture
Company, 412 Fallowfield Avenue. 30113

WANTED—Day's work at clean-
ing for washing. Mrs. Sreptkatch,
1109 Crest avenue. 294-14p

FOR SALE—A buffet, like new,
dining table cheap. Inquire at 703
Crest avenue. 300-14

LOST—Eagle watch fob in one of
the theatres. Initials "F. O. E." on
front. Return to "M. P." Mail office.
303-62

Be Sanitary

Nature Demands It
Get A
Sanitary Drinking Cup

With a 25c Box of
Rexall Pearl Tooth Powder

If you don't want the drinking cup we will give
you a coin holder that is equally as valuable.

Either article with a 50c purchase of Rexall Articles

Carroll's Drug Store

LOCAL MENTION

Patrolman and Mrs. Gus. Brickner
and children of Washington avenue
left today for Johnstown and Gal-
latzin where they will visit. Mrs.
Brickner and children will spend
about a month in that vicinity.

Mrs. C. C. Holyfield and daughter
left this morning for Morgantown,
W. Va., where they will visit for
several days.

The value of the police patrol was
seen this morning when a boy, Mero
Fanini, suffering with appendicitis
was hauled from his home at 914
Meadow avenue to the railroad sta-
tion to be taken to the hospital.

Patrolman James Murphy after a
vacation of ten days resumed his
duties on the police force Thursday
night. Patrolman and Mrs. Murphy
recently returned from a visit at Ta-
rentum and Pittsburg.

H. T. Gaut, Esq., of Monongahela,
was in Charleroi Thursday afternoon.

Miss Augustine Landrin left Thurs-
day afternoon for New York city
from where she will sail on Saturday
for Belgium. Miss Landrin will
spend two months abroad visiting
her parents at Charleroi, Belgium.

the town after which Charleroi, Pa.,
was named.

Miss Marie Estenfelder left Thurs-
day afternoon for Tarentum, where
she will visit several days.

21 dozen of Ladies' White Lawn
Shirt Waists, formerly sold at \$2.50.
To clean them up quick they are on
sale at \$1.39. Just have it charged
with your other merchandise you
buy. The People's Store, 536 Fallow-
field avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 302-12

\$3.00 Men's Superior Union Suits,
\$2.50.

\$2.50 Men's Superior Union Suits,
\$2.00.

\$2.00 Men's Superior Union Suits,
\$1.50.

\$1.50 Men's Superior Union Suits,
\$1.25.

\$1.00 Men's Superior B. V. D. and
Pecis Knit Union Suits 85 cents.
Murdock and McCarty. 293-eod

JOE BELL

Best shoemaker in town. All work guaran-
teed. When \$7 worth of work is done, you
get a pair of shoes repaired free.
308 Fifth St., - - - Charleroi, Pa.
Shoes repaired while you wait.

Last Call—Last Cut and it's a good one for You

Don't go blind. Compare our
prices and compare our shoes
with those of any other sale.

\$2.00

FOR THIS season's most up to date
oxfords, for men and for ladies. REG-
ULARLY SOLD at \$4.00, 3.50, 3.00.

It's a great loss for us but we are
willing to pay you for helping us to re-
duce our stock.

These oxfords are all of as well
known makes as the Ralstons, Boston-
ians, Co-Operatives, red Cross etc., all
high grade stock. NO OLD JUNK
BOUGHT UP, it's all new. OUR guar-
antee of Satisfaction goes with pair.

**Ladies' and Children's
White Shoes 1-3 OFF
All Children's Oxfords
1-4 OFF**

There is little, if any difference, between throw-
ing away money and staying away from this sale.
Remember you will find all kinds, Pumps,
Straps, Lace, etc., and all leathers and fabrics.
Take a look in our windows.

J. J. BEERENS

513 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

FLOOD IS FREAKISH

Monongahela River Starts Falling After Reaching 34 Feet

IS STILL OVER LOCK

That the Monongahela river can be just as freakish on occasions as the weather was amply demonstrated Thursday. After rising to a stage of 34.2 feet at 8 o'clock in the evening, it suddenly stopped, and in a short time was falling. Today the river is dropping rapidly, although it is still over the lock at Lock No. 4. The rise resulted in considerable damage along the Monongahela valley.

Thursday morning the river advanced to the danger stage and suddenly came to a halt. Then as quickly another rise began that continued until late in the afternoon at the rate of eight inches per hour. At a stage of about 34 feet there was another sudden change and another halt, that was for good.

It was feared from reports that were received up to Thursday noon, that the flood would be one of the worst the Monongahela valley ever suffered. Possibly it might be considered such, but still it didn't nearly come up to a flood of two years ago. Water got into the houses of those living in the lowlands along the valley. The business section of Brownsville was engulfed.

The worst damage in Charleroi was to gardens along Third street between the Hussy-Blinn Shovel plant and the river. Acres of fine gardens there in which produce was just beginning to ripen were inundated. Practically every bit of garden was ruined. Reports from mines along the valley indicate that their greatest damage was in having their mines flooded, forcing them to suspend for a number of days.

GIRLS GET DUCKING IN SWOLLEN CREEK

Josephine and Jessie Duvall two young women of East Pike Run got a ducking at Coal Center Thursday as a result of the flood of Pike Run which empties there into the Monongahela river. At a bridge it was necessary for their horse to wade through deep water. It became frightened and reared back, lighting on the front of the buggy. Both the girls jumped into the swollen stream. They waded out. Neither was hurt, and no damage resulted the horse being pulled from the stream.

\$20.00 Men's Suits, \$15.00.
\$18.00 Men's Suits, \$12.00.
\$15.00 Men's Suits, \$10.00.
\$12.00 and \$13.50 Suits \$8.00. Murdock and McCarty. 293-42

Youth's Suits, the very newest styles. Colors are plain blue, brown, black and fancy mixtures, formerly sold at \$16.50 and \$18. To sell them quick they are on sale at \$10 and \$11.50. Your credit is good, just have it charged. Pay for it later. The People's Store, 536 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa. 302-42

All \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Straw Hats 96 cents at Murdock and McCarty's. 291-44

Will Speak at Eldora

William D. Haywood, of Colorado to Talk Sunday of Labor Troubles

William D. Haywood, of Colorado one of the most noted characters in the labor world today, has been engaged to speak at Eldora Park Sunday afternoon as one of the lectures on the regular Socialist program. He will speak of "The Victory of the Lawrence Strikers." Haywood made a big fight in the interests of the Lawrence strikers, and knows conditions there as probably no other man knows them. A writer says of him: "Risen from the mines himself he gives the impression of belonging to that type of man not unfamiliar now in America, equipped with a good brain, who has come up struggling and fighting, giving blows and taking them; who, knowing deeply the wrongs of his own class, develops a natural leadership of those who are downtrodden and discontented."

OUT FOR WILSON

Democrats Determined to Give Governor County Majority

HEADQUARTERS OPENED

The Democrats of Washington county are preparing to make a strong campaign in the interest of Woodrow Wilson, their candidate for President. J. Winfield Reed, county chairman, has announced his executive committee and secretaries for the campaign.

The executive committee is composed of R. W. Knox, of Washington, as chairman; Dr. J. K. Smith, Charleroi; W. S. Shepler, Monongahela; Leroy Alexander, West Alexander; John P. Linn, Burgettstown; A. B. Cochran, McDonald; Samuel Munnell, Sr., Canonsburg; E. C. Horn, Amwell township; A. P. Barnum, Allentown; D. C. Vester, A. G. Braden, J. A. Bubbett, John W. Day, of Washington.

The secretaries are W. F. Smith and John C. Judson, of Washington. Headquarters have been opened in the Thistle building, Washington and will be open constantly and will be in charge of John Foster.

A meeting of the executive committee is being held today in headquarters to make arrangements for the campaign in the county. The Democrats feel very much encouraged over the prospects of having a Democrat in the White House the coming four years and everything possible will be done to carry this county for their man. The headquarters will be open all the time.

Everybody's Drinking it. Key-stone Coffee. City Grocery. 404-42

Ladies' \$3.50 Hats on sale at 93c. No goods to be carried over, why not open a charge account with us. The People's Store, 536 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa. 302-42

COMMISSIONERS TO PUT COUNTY'S ELECTRICAL PLANT INTO OPERATION

Contract in Effect With Outside Firm to Expire on August 1-Scheme Will be Tried as a Money-Saving Device

PLANT COST \$70,000 TO INSTALL FEW YEARS AGO

While trying to increase the county's income on the one hand by equalizing the assessed valuations, the county commissioners and county controller are on the other hand trying to save money by operating affairs in the most economical manner possible to secure the greatest efficiency. In accord with this idea they are considering putting into operation a plant owned by the county for the lighting, heating and ventilating, of the county buildings, including the court house, jail and sheriff's residence.

Six years ago Commissioners Wylie, Myers and Huffman made a contract with the Washington Electric Light and Power company for the lighting, heating and ventilating of the county buildings. This contract expires next Thursday, August 1. Since the contract became effective all the county buildings have been furnished with light, heat and ventilation by outside companies.

A plant that is declared by William O'Brien, a boiler maker, to be in good shape is owned by the county. Mr. O'Brien states that but few repairs will have to be made before the plant can be put in operation. It has been standing idle since the contract was

let to outsiders.

County Controller Moffitt has figured that the county can save a considerable sum by operating its own plant, and that there is no necessity for allowing such an expensive plant as the county has to stand idle. The cost of lighting, heating and ventilating in the past six years has averaged \$550 not including salary of the two men paid by the county who are employed to look after the lighting, heating and ventilating equipment of the building.

An additional man may be needed, if the plant is again placed in operation, but it is figured that the expense will not be nearly as great as at present.

Controller Moffitt takes the view that owners of all large buildings find it cheaper to operate their own power plants.

The lighting, heating and ventilating plant of the county buildings was put in at a cost of about \$70,000, more or less, and if allowed to stand idle would become a complete loss. It is stated by those who have observed the system in the past six years, that it has not been as satisfactory as when the county's own plant was operated.

COUNTY COURT IS REVERSED

Superior Court Decision Gives Mrs. Hilt Victory in Local Case

Official notice has been received from the superior court by David M. McCloskey, attorney for the late Mrs. Catharine Hilt that the judgement of the lower court of Washington county in the suit of her former husband Conrad Hilt has been reversed instead of affirmed.

It was erroneously stated in many papers that the judgement of the lower court awarding the husband a ver- of \$500 had been affirmed, whereas in an unanimous opinion handed down by President Judge Rice the verdict of \$500 is set aside and judgement is entered for Mrs. Hilt.

The later was until her death recently a well known resident of Charleroi and conducted a grocery store at the corner of Ninth Street and Fallowfield Avenue. After she procured a divorce numerous suits were filed and tried by the husband in an effort to obtain a part of the real and personal property which was owned by the two as tenants by entireties. Mrs. Hilt was successful in all of the suits until finally the \$500 judgement was entered for Mr. Hilt. This has also been decided in Mrs. Hilt's favor and although she died pending the appeal her estate will benefit to the extent of the judgement and costs.

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Five Miners are Missing

Three Unaccounted for at Smock and Two at the Linn Workings.

Five miners are unaccounted for in the Redstone Valley, which was swept by a cloudburst Wednesday and they are believed to have perished in the water-filled mines. At the Smock mine of the H. C. Frick Coke company at Smock three miners failed to call for their checks at the mine and were believed to be in the mine, which was flooded.

At the Linn mine of the same company at Linn station, two miners are missing. They have not appeared at their homes and a poll of the mine employes shows two names missing.

PROBE IS STARTED

State to Investigate Disaster at Superior No. 2 Mine

COMPANY IS CRITICIZED

With Charles E. Eider a representative of the Pennsylvania Water Supply commission on the scene investigations are being started by the State into the causes of the flooding of the Superior No. 2 mine at Evans station near Uniontown, in which 14 men lost their lives. Charges have been made that the mine owners did not have the mine properly equipped with safety devices, by which the men might have been warned of their danger before it was too late. It is announced that the State will make a thorough investigation.

The Superior Coal company has been severely criticised by friends of the drowned miners for not having telephones installed in the mine. Thirteen of the dead had no warning of their impending fate until the waters began rushing in on them through their manway, their only avenue of escape.

Together with the State the Austrian-Hungary authorities will make an investigation. Louis Vazcek, imperial and royal Austro-Hungarian consular agent stationed at Uniontown, following advices from Washington, D. C., interviewed widows of the entombed men and mine operators Thursday night to ascertain how the accident came about.

Thirty children have been made fatherless and destitute by the catastrophe. For the present they will be housed at the company houses of the coal company. According to J. W. Buttermore superintendent of the mine it will be at least a month before the mine can be pumped out sufficiently for the bodies to be recovered or for operations to be started again.

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TRAGEDY AVERTED

Woman Tries to Shoot Boarder Then Attempts Suicide

TELLS TALE TO POLICE

A near double tragedy in which Mrs. Lenie Flezak, the wife of Mike Flezak and George Sucre a boarder at the Flezak home, played the leading roles, was staged at California Thursday. It is charged that the women tried to shoot Sucre, because he paid her attentions and then refused to run away with her. Failing in that, she is supposed to have tried to drown herself. Sucre, the woman and her husband are all in the lockup at California, while friends are trying to straighten out the domestic tangle.

It is stated that Sucre came to board at the Flezak home several months ago and the woman being good looking and young, began to pay her attentions, when the husband was not at home. Finally, so the police are told, they agreed to elope. She secured \$435 from the bank and gave it to Sucre. He accepted the money but when the time came to leave backed out. The woman is said to have procured a revolver and told him to flee. He obeyed with alacrity and leaped from the upstairs window. From the door she saw him going and fired three shots none of which took effect.

Then the woman, it is understood hastened to the river, and waded in, all the time crying something about her troubles. Chief of Police Lake got to her before she had gone far in the water and dragged her out. She was taken to the police station where she said was unharmed. The husband and Sucre, as scared as ever man was, were placed under arrest. The woman has come to the point where she is willing to apologize, but the husband only shrugs his shoulders. The principals are all Polish.

Unusual Pitching.

The performance of Keifer, the Episcopal twirler in pitching a no hit, no run game Thursday night is remarkable. Only once before it is stated had it been done here, that by Bert Humphries against Fairmont, in the Pa. W. Va. league. Of course Keifer's feat against the Christians was for seven innings only, and against weaker batters than one would find in a minor league, yet it is all the same remarkable. Twenty-four batsmen faced him in nine innings.

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July 26 in American History.

1734—George Clinton, "signer" for New
York, born; died 1812.
1823—General George W. Morgan, Mex-
ican and civil war veteran, died;
born 1820.
1869—William Reed Huntington, prom-
inent clergyman and famous de-
nominational delayer, died; born
1838.
1911—President Taft signed the Cana-
dian reciprocity bill.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:21, rises 4:50. Evening
stars: Mars, Jupiter, Mercury, Venus.
Morning star: Saturn.

WHY LIVING IS HIGH.

The census bureau is on hand to
support the sorrows of the poor hus-
band in respect to the cost of woman's
hats. It is mounting up into the
three figure per cent. increases. In
1903 there were 213 establishments
furnishing the trade with plumes; in
1909, six years after, these establish-
ments increased to 412. The value of
this millinery product is given at
\$5,247,000 in 1903 and \$23,981,000 in
1909, or an increase of 357 per cent.,
says the Ohio State Journal.

That far exceeds our increase in
population, wealth, salary or per-
sonal efficiency. It represents a
solid, wearisome, crushing weight on
the shoulders of that unfortunate
class of people who happen to be
born men, and for whom there doesn't
seem to be any sympathy anywhere
in the wide, wide world. And yet,
strange to say, we do not notice that
the men are raging about it. They
are hearing it under the torture;
they are heroic and uncomplaining.
We suggest at the next woman's ban-
quet the toast, The Men—God Bless
Them.

THE MAKING OF BOOKS.

If of the making of many books, in
the sense of printing them, there is
no end, still less is there an end of
writing would-be books. Accepted
manuscripts amount to the tens of
thousands, but the number of the re-
jected is myriad. This fact is gener-
ally known, but attempts to reduce
the knowledge to a statistical basis
are rare. Evening Post.

At the recent dinner of the Authors
society in England the editor of the
Cornhill stated that of all the manu-
scripts offered to Smith, Elder and
Co., "less than two per cent." were
accepted and published. This ratio is
probably too low for the trade as a

whole. Publishers of the standing of
the firm mentioned must have more
manuscripts sent them than do
houses not of so established a repu-
tation, and, more than this would
naturally be more fastidious than
some others about what they print.
Both these considerations would tend
to keep low their proportion of ac-
cepted offerings. But even supposing
the average ratio to be 10 or even 15
per cent, one sees how great a mass of
writing never comes to the types, and
gets a hint of the extent of baffled
hopes and even tragic disappointment
in the case of authors powerless to
be born.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Those Georgians do not need to
lynch women simply to prove that
they believe in equal rights.

ment of certain scientists that every-
body has an insane streak when we
look at some of those we know well.
The problem is how in the world did
they ever come to put us in that clas-
sification.

Because people buy pianos in
greater numbers nowadays than they
did years ago isn't any sign that they
are becoming more musical. It is a
sign they aren't going to let fashion
get ahead of them.

Four wagon loads of bottles—"dead
soldiers"—were hauled from the
Baltimore Armory. At last a reason
for the delay of delegates in doing
anything worth while or in return-
ing home has been given.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

W. D. Pollock was much impressed
by the scenic beauty of the Guyan
valley of West Virginia during a
recent trip there to visit Andrew
Jenkins, formerly of Charleroi who
now is a resident of that valley. Mr.
Pollock in describing his trip says:
"Very few of the residents of Char-
leroi have any knowledge of that
beautiful valley which they call the
Guyan valley. It extends from Hunt-
ington to Cranew and is bordered on
both sides by high mountains which
run up in places almost perpendicu-
lar. These mountains are rich in
coal and form good timber lands.

"The wild grandeur of the region
is inspiring. Some few of the farm-
ers along the valley have culti-
vated the mountain sides. Corn
fields extend nearly to the top in
some places. One wonders how they
can plow the soil on the steep slopes.

"The Guyandott river runs the en-
tire length of the valley. Down it
are flated millions of logs. When
they reach the Ohio river into which
the Guyandott flows, they are made
into rafts and shipped to Cincinnati
and other points. Fishing is good.
There are lots of bass, perch, catfish,
sunfish and turtles, making the valley
one of the most pleasant places I
know of to spend a vacation. The
hills abound in small game. Rabbits,
squirrels, pheasants, and coons are
especially numerous.

"The Chesapeake and Ohio rail-
road runs from Huntington to Ear-
ling. The principal freight is coal and
logs.

"I spent a week at Arling, Logan
county, which place is situated about
eight miles up the Guyan valley from
Huntingdon. There the coal mine
of the Ferndale Coal company of
which Andrew Jenkins, formerly of
Charleroi, is superintendent, is oper-
ated. The plant is well situated and
they have all the conveniences to
go to make a first class mine. They
own their own electric light and
power plant, and their own water
works.

"Mr. Jenkins and his good wife
entertained me royally. The latter
is a cook whose ability cannot be
surpassed and with that bracing
mountain atmosphere to stir the hun-
ger, I came away feeling a hundred
per cent better than when I went.
I had the pleasure of fishing in the
Guyandotte river. I know the fish
were all right for I ate some myself.
"I have't any doubt but that in
a few years when the treasures of
the West Virginia hills have been
uncovered the state will be in the
front rank of the industrial states
of the Union. Several former citi-
zens of Charleroi are working in
the mine at Earling. They are all
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TOO REMARKABLE TO FALL

Ruined Old Barn Set Moss an Exam-
ple and He Proceeded to
Get Well.

In their first walk of the season
at Wobrook-in-the-Hills the judge and
his wife stopped at the "Bartons" to
inquire for Moss, who was reported
to have been "mo'-n common allin",
"long back." They found Mrs. Bartos
in the garden, weeding.

"Yes, he was awful bad all last
winter," she said, gradually rising,
and straightening up. "First he had
grippe, an' that left his heart weak,
an' 'long toward March his liver kind
o' got out o' whack. Then Moss sent
for doctor, an' he called it 'complica-
tion o' diseases.'

"You're a sick man," says doctor.
"I know that," says Moss, "thout
you're tellin' me!" You know his
way! "But this complication, 's you
call it, is what stumps me. I guess
I'd better get well—an' he did!"

"Suthin' in that, eh, squire?" said
Moss, suddenly appearing from be-
hind the house.

"Much!" asserted the judge.
"Didn't find my argument in a
book, same as you would, squire,"
Moss continued. "Went to the hills,
from the old Collins' barn—
'member it?"

"I should say I did!" said the
judge, smiling reminiscently; "root-
less, practically and open on all
sides!"

"But key 'a-standin' for high thutty
rear 'cause it was so ramshackle it
didn't know which way to fall. My
case exactly!" declared Moss Mar-
ton with a twinkle.

The Country Cottage.
The country cottage is the hope of
the young and the solace of the old;
it is the middle-aged, with their ex-
aggerated ideas of comfort, their un-
reasonable desire for dry walls, bril-
liant lighting, hot and cold water, and
the telephone, who complicate the
question of the Saturday rush to the
green fields.—Sketch.

Smallest Island.
The island on which the Eddystone
Lighthouse is situated is the smallest
inhabited island in the world. It is
said, although there may be some dis-
putants to this claim in the Thousand
Islands. It is only 30 feet in diameter
at low water.

Gum From Seaweed.
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ist has succeeded in getting from sea-
weed a kind of gum which has among
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electrical resistance than vulcanite. It
is said also to be damp-proof, acid-
proof and germ-proof, as well as in-
sensible to changes of temperature,
and quite unflammable. Tests of
the substance have been made at the
Westminster Electric Laboratories.

College Girl a Minister.
Miss Marion Hastings Jones, a grad-
uate of the class of 1897 in Smith col-
lege, has been ordained pastor of the
Congregational church at Stafford-
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tiate for some time before her ordina-
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Tells Consumptives How He Got Well

Tuberculosis is said to be curable by simply living in the open air and taking an abundance of fresh eggs and milk. Undoubtedly, some persons are benefited in this way, but the appropriate remedy for Consumption is Eckman's Alternative. Do all you possibly can to add to strength and increase weight, eat wholesome, nourishing food, and breathe the clearest and purest air—then, to the sensible things of right living, add the tonic and curative effects of Eckman's Alternative. Read what it did in this case:

"Gentlemen: In January, 1908, I was taken with hemorrhages of the lungs. My physician, one of the leading practitioners, said that it was lung trouble. I took eggs and milk in quantities, but I got very weak, and I kept on working in the store. The doctors said I would not gain in weight as long as I stayed in the store, but I kept on working and prayed each day that I might get well. I believe my prayers were answered, for Mr. C. A. Lippincott, my employer (Lippincott & Co., Department Store, 306 to 314 Market street, Wilmington, Del.), had learned of a remedy called Eckman's Alternative that had done great good, and upon his recommendation I began taking it at once. This was about June, 1908. I continued faithfully, using no other remedy, and finally noticed the clearing of the lungs, which appeared to be old chunks of blood coming up. I now have no trouble with my lungs. I firmly believe Eckman's Alternative saved my life. I sent my spittle later to the State Board of Health to be examined for tuberculosis bacilli, and none were found."

"My mother died from Consumption when I was about two years old."

"I make this statement so that others may learn of the wonderful merits of Eckman's Alternative. I regard my recovery as being miraculous."

(Signed Affidavit) JAS. SQUIRES. Eckman's Alternative is effective in Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Throat and Lung troubles, and in rebuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. Ask for booklet of cure cases and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa. for more evidence. For sale by all leading druggists and

W. F. Henning's, Charleroi, Pa.

Boy Shot Big Eagle.

Ten-year-old Otto Frame, a farmer's boy living seven miles from Michigan City, killed a big baldhead eagle and saved his baby brother from serious injury if not from death last week.

The children were playing alone in the yard, the older members of the family having gone to town when they saw the big bird circling above them. The boy ran into the house and took down his father's shotgun. As he ran back to the yard the eagle swooped down upon the baby. Otto raised the gun and fired both barrels.

The big bird fell dead shot through the breast within a few feet of the little boy. Soon after Otto's father, Chauncey B. Frame, returned. They stretched out the dead eagle. It measured eight feet from wing tip to wing tip.—Chicago Tribune.

Metaphor Resented.

"Did I understand you to say, sir," said Col. Stillwell, "that you regarded that orator's remarks as moonshine?" "That's what I said," replied the critical person.

"Well, sir, I do not wish to seem captious, but when it comes to comparing that line of talk with a mountain product for whose vigorous qualities I have a large degree of respect, I must say that your efforts to be complimentary, sir, go entirely too far."—Washington Star.

REVENGE IS SWEET.



The Duck—Poor old man! Get a gold brick.

The Hen—No; I ain't sorry for him. Just think of all the china nest eggs he's handed us

The Opportunity OF A LIFE TIME For YOU

No living man, woman or boy can begin to conceive the greatness of this opportunity until they come to this great \$1.00 Shoe Sale themselves. It's the biggest sacrifice of high-grade Oxfords and Shoes ever known—it's the greatest of all Sales. Values slaughtered as they never have been before—our loss is tremendous but we can't help ourselves.

\$1.00 SHOE SALE

Men's Oxfords and Shoes, tan or black, button or lace style. Worth from \$2 to \$5, **\$1.00** our sale price

Ladies' Oxfords and Shoes, tan vici kid, dull and patent leather. All styles not all sizes, but plenty to pick from. Worth from \$2.50 to \$4. Our special **\$1.00** price, a pair

Boys' & youths' Shoes and Oxfords, worth 75 to 3 00. All leathers and all sizes if you come early. Sale **\$1.00** price, a pair

We Can Fit All Feet

Remember—you are not limited to odds and ends or "special" lots, but thousands of pairs of shoes are generously offered at prices that will compel you to buy here. Visit all other so-called "shoe sales" see their shoes and prices, then be convinced that our prices are the lowest and best values. All our shoes are fully guaranteed. If you have not bought shoes here before, ask your neighbor. Bring this bill with you and come early. Our experience of our other sales taught us that people appreciate our shoe sales, so we will be prepared with plenty of salespeople to wait upon you.

The store will be closed all day Friday, July 26, to mark down prices, and the Sale of All Sales starts SATURDAY, JULY 27th, and lasts until every pair of Summer Shoes are sold.

Do not Forget that Every Shoe in This, the Busiest Store in the Monongahela Valley, will be Included in This Sale. Nothing Reserved, Come. Remember the Place

ADOLPH BEIGEL

502 Fallowfield Avenue,

CHARLEROI, PENNA.

P. S. Adolph has just bought 2800 pairs of Shoes and Oxfords from SMITH & HAWKINS, former shoe dealers, of Monessen, Pa. These shoes will be included in this sale.



Misses' and Children's Shoes and Oxfords, worth \$1.50 to \$3. See them yourself, and then buy them for, **\$1**

a pair - - - \$1

This is the Greatest Shoe Sale Ever Heard of

LADIES

This is the last time we will advertise our Ladies Long Coats and Spring and Summer Suits. We know they will not last long at the prices mentioned here below.

Ladies' Suits were \$22.00 now... \$16.00

Ladies' Suits were \$18.00 now... \$13.50

Ladies' Suits were \$16.00 now... \$12.50

Ladies' Coats, and Suits formerly \$13 now for... \$ 9.50

Ladies' Coats and Suits were \$12.00 now for... \$ 9.00

Ladies' long silk mercerized Coats were \$6 now... \$ 4.50

Ladies' long silk mercerized Coats were \$5.50 now... \$3.98

Come in and see this lot we guarantee you bargains

EUGENE FAU

514-16 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

BERRYMAN'S JULY CLEARANCE SALE

This Great Clearance Sale offers you Bargains and Bargains. Come and see the wonderful offerings all over the store. You'll save almost as much as you spend.

CHILDRENS WASH DRESSES AT CUT PRICES.

50c dresses go at..... 38c
75c dresses go at..... 48c
\$1.00 dresses go at..... 77c
\$1.25 dresses go at..... 89c
\$1.50 dresses go at..... 98c
\$2.00 dresses go at..... \$1.38
\$2.50 dresses go at..... \$1.75

CHILDRENS LAUNDRED DRESSES.

\$1.00 Laundred dresses go at. 75c
\$1.50 Laundred dresses go at \$1.00
\$2.00 Laundred dresses go at \$1.50
\$2.50 Laundred dresses go at \$1.75
\$3.00 Laundred dresses go at \$2.25
\$3.50 Laundred dresses go at \$2.50
\$4.00 Laundred dresses go at \$3.00
\$5.00 Laundred dresses go at \$3.50

WHITE WAISTS.

\$1.00 Lawn Waists go at 69c
\$1.50 Lawn Waists go at.....93c
\$2.00 Lawn Waists go at.....\$1.25
\$2.50 Lawn Waists go at .. \$1.50
\$5.00 Lawn Waists go at.....\$3.50
A few silk waists go at Half Price
One lot Lawn Kimonas 25c
One lot Lawn 50c Kimonas.....38c
One lot Long Kimonas.....49c
One lot Long Kimonas.....79c
One lot Long Kimonas.\$1.50 at 99c
One lot Long Kimonas.\$2 at \$1.25

SEWING MACHINES—A few shop worn machines. Some are new but sold at a great sacrifice. If you need a machine see these.

It will pay you to look into the savings in our Men's and our Carpet Departments.

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON
CHARLEROI'S BIG STORE

KEIFER MAKES HISTORY WITH A NO-HIT GAME

Episcopal Pitcher Pitches
Record Game Against
the Christian Team

Katsy Keifer, pitching for the Episcopalists against the Christians made history Thursday by pitching a no-hit no-run game. The feat is one that has thus far been performed by few in Charleroi. One of the few who did do it is Bert Humphries now with the Cincinnati Nationals in minor league times. Keifer fanned five and gave only one man a base on balls, that man being caught shortly after at second in a double play.

After that introduction it is needless to state the Episcopalists won. The score was 5 to 0. The Episcopalists secured eight hits off Lauderback and made them count. Score:

Episcopalists	R	H	P	A	E
Mathers, 2	1	2	2	4	0
Kuhn, s	0	0	1	3	0
Montgomery, L	1	1	1	0	0
W. Cratty, c	1	1	1	1	0
Dunmire, 1	0	11	0	0	0
Keifer, p	0	2	1	3	0
Fitzgerald, r	0	0	0	0	0
Stech, m	0	1	0	0	0
Cratty, 3	1	1	0	2	1
Totals	5	8	21	13	1

Christians	R	H	P	A	E
Allshouse, r	0	0	0	0	0
Vernon, m	0	0	4	0	0
Philips, 1	0	0	11	0	0
Mason, c	0	0	3	1	1
Jolliffe, s	0	0	0	4	0
Miller, 1	0	0	1	0	0
R. Allshouse, 3	0	0	1	2	0
A. Mason, p	0	0	0	2	1
Lauderback, p	0	0	1	2	1
Total	0	0	21	11	3

Episcopalists 0 0 0 2 0 0 3-5
Christians 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0

Stolen bases—Kuhn, Montgomery. Two base hits—Mathers 2, W. Cratty, A. Cratty. Double plays—Lauderback and Philips. Kuhn, Mathers and Dunmire. Struck out—by Keifer 5, by Lauderback 3. Bases on balls—off Keifer 1, off Lauderback 2. Umpire—Deitz.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Episcopalists 5—Christians 0.
Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
First Pres	7	2	.777
Catholics	6	2	.750
W. A. Pres	4	2	.667
Methodists	4	5	.444
Baptists	4	5	.444
Episcopalists	3	4	.429
Lutherans	3	6	.333
Christians	3	7	.300

Games This Week.

Thursday—Episcopalists vs Christians.
Friday—Catholics vs Washington Avenues.

COUNTY OFFICIALS.

County Judges—J. Add McIlvaine, President judge. (term expires January, 1917); J. Frank Taylor, Ad. Law Judge, (term expires January, 1916).
Prothonotary—A. V. Lewis, Donora, 1916.
Clerk of Courts—W. S. Lockhart, McDonald, 1916.
Register of Wills—Boyd C. Parrish, Washington, 1916.
Recorder—J. Chester Sutherland, Washington, 1914.
Commissioner—John A. Berry, County Controller—John H. Moffitt, Charleroi, 1914.
Sheriff—R. G. Lutton, Washington, 1916.
District Attorney—Richard G. Miller, Washington, 1916.
Treasurer—S. M. Downer, Monongahela, 1916.
Houston, 1916; Thomas Hill, Union township, 1916; A. P. Baraun, Allenport, 1916.
Supt of Schools—L. R. Crumrine, Washington, 1914.
Coroner—James Heffran, Speers, 1916.
Director of the Poor—H. D. Brown, West Brownsville, 1916; R. W. Wolfe, Blaine, 1916; R. C. Buchanan, Washington, 1914.
Jury Commissioner—John W. Dague, West Bethlehem; William Barkley, Nottingham.
County Surveyor—George S. Chaney, Washington, 1906.
County Detective—William McCleary, Monongahela, 1916.
Assembly—John Banks Holland, Cecil, 1912; William Feeney, Charleroi, 1912; Charles A. Bentley, Monongahela, 1912.

CAT WARNS OF FLAMES

Feline Saves Five Lives
by Promptly Awaken-
ing Inmates of House

A mother cat is credited with having saved five lives from the flames at California this morning. The cat was owned by the family of John Polly who lives out the Malden road a half mile from California. It smelled the smoke arising from burning embers in one of the down stairs rooms of the Polly home and started carrying its litter of kittens to safety. Springing on a bed, a kitten held in its mouth, the cat walked across Polly until he was awakened. Immediately he recognized the danger

and a boarder. They had to leap from the upstairs window in their nightclothes, escaping just in time.

The house was burned to the ground with all the contents. The mother cat and the kittens were saved.

IS VICTIM OF ASSAULT

Foreigners Attack Young
Man When Ordered
From Farm

With seventeen stitches holding together the edges of a jagged scalp wound, and his head swathed in bandages, Warren Kinder, the son of I V Kinder the well known florist, is today suffering from the effects of an assault made upon him Thursday by three burly Italians whom he had ordered from his father's farm. Had it not been for the timely interference of William Shannon, result might have been more serious.

Foreigners have annoyed the Kinders on different occasions and have been told to stay off the farm. On Thursday three were ordered off by Warren, when they lit into him. Using their fists and then stones they beat him unmercifully. His calls for help were heard by Shannon, who is a neighbor. He chased the foreigners away. The injured young man was assisted home and Dr. Edwin McKay was called. He was badly injured about the head.

Warrants have been sworn out for three Italians. The victim of the assault is a well known young vocalist, and is director of the choir of the First Christian church.

The only thing that seems to cost more than following somebody else's advice is following your own judgment.—New York Press.

Holeproof hose all colors guaranteed six pairs to wear for six months, \$1.50 at Murdock and McCarty's. 278-42w

Are your chickens pestered with lice? Conkey's Lice Preparations are guaranteed to give positive results. Buy them at Henning's Drug Store, 5th street and McKean avenue. 23-26

Classified Ads.

WANTED—Active young man to learn telephone work. Must have had at least two years High School training and possess a fair knowledge of Physics and have mechanical and electrical inclination. Wages paid while learning. Schooling free. Call or address Plant Chief, Bell Telephone Co., Charleroi, Pa. 30344p

WANTED—Position by two young women. No washing or ironing. Call Frank Riva's store. 30342p

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at Southern Furniture Company, 412 Fallowfield Avenue. 30113

WANTED—Day's work at cleaning. Call Mrs. Shunk. 294-41p

FOR SALE—A buffet, like new, dining table cheap. Inquire at 703 Crest avenue. 300-14

LOST—Eagle watch fob in one of the theatres. Initials "F. O. E." on front. Return to "M. P." Mail office. 803-12

Be Sanitary

Nature Demands It
Get A
Sanitary Drinking Cup
With a 25c Box of
Rexall Pearl Tooth Powder

If you don't want the drinking cup we will give you a coin holder that is equally as valuable.

Either article with a 50c purchase of Rexall Articles

Carroll's Drug Store

LOCAL MENTION

Patrolman and Mrs. Gus. Brickner and children of Washington avenue left today for Johnstown and Galatzin where they will visit. Mrs. Brickner and children will spend about a month in that vicinity. Mrs. C. C. Holyfield and daughter left this morning for Morgantown, W. Va., where they will visit for several days.

The value of the police patrol was seen this morning when a boy, Mero Fanini, suffering with appendicitis was hauled from his home at 914 Meadow avenue to the railroad station to be taken to the hospital.

Patrolman James Murphy after a vacation of ten days resumed his duties on the police force Thursday night. Patrolman and Mrs. Murphy recently returned from a visit at Tarentum and Pittsburgh.

H. T. Gaut, Esq. of Monongahela, was in Charleroi Thursday afternoon. Miss Augustine Landrin left Thursday afternoon for New York city from where she will sail on Saturday for Belgium. Miss Landrin will spend two months abroad visiting her parents at Charleroi, Belgium.

One town after which Charleroi, Pa., was named. Miss Marie Estenfelder left Thursday afternoon for Tarentum, where she will visit several days.

21 dozen of Ladies' White Lawn Shirt Waists, formerly sold at \$2.50. To clean them up quick they are on sale at \$1.39. Just have it charged with your other merchandise you buy. The People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 302-12

\$3.00 Men's Superior Union Suits, \$2.50.

\$2.50 Men's Superior Union Suits, \$2.00.

\$2.00 Men's Superior Union Suits, \$1.50.

\$1.50 Men's Superior Union Suits, \$1.25.

\$1.09 Men's Superior B. V. D. and Pairs Knit Union Suits 85 cents. Murdock and McCarty. 293-eod

JOE BELL

Best shoemaker in town. All work guaranteed. When \$7 worth of work is done, you get a pair of shoes repaired free. 308 Fifth St., - - - Charleroi, Pa. Shoes repaired while you wait

Last Call—Last Cut and it's a good one for You

Don't go blind. Compare our prices and compare our shoes with those of any other sale.

\$2.00

FOR THIS season's most up to date oxfords, for men and for ladies. REGULARLY SOLD at \$4.00, 3.50, 3.00.

It's a great loss for us but we are willing to pay you for helping us to reduce our stock.

These oxfords are all of as well known makes as the Ralstons, Bostonians, Co-Operatives, red Cross etc., all high grade stock. NO OLD JUNK BOUGHT UP, it's all new. OUR guarantee of Satisfaction goes with pair,

**Ladies' and Children's
White Shoes 1-3 OFF
All Children's Oxfords
1-4 OFF**

There is little, if any difference, between throwing away money and staying away from this sale. Remember you will find all kinds, Pumps, Straps, Lace, etc., and all leathers and fabrics. Take a look in our windows.

J. J. BEERENS

513 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

—every low shoe in our stock has been sharply reduced in price to effect a quick clearance.

—you can save money easily by taking advantage of these prices.

\$1.39

Odd lot of Men's Nettleton and Walk-Over Oxfords in patent, tan and gun metal leathers. Regular \$4 to \$6 goods for only

\$1.39

\$1.39

Odd sizes and widths of Queen Quality and Pingree made Oxfords and Pumps, good styles in regular \$3.50 and \$4 grades. Now selling at

\$1.39

LOW SHOES

Oxfords, Slippers, Ties, Pumps
At Big Price Reductions

89c

All sizes men's Canvas Shoes and Oxfords. Colors tan, black and grey. Regular \$1.75 grade for

89c

\$1.69

Boys' tan or black Oxfords in regular \$2.75 grades. Some 3-eyelet, some 5-eyelet. New high toes.

\$1.69

Your Size May Go First, Don't Wait

Claybaugh & Milliken

REAL SHOE MEN

419 McKean Ave., Charleroi, Penna.